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SUBJECT: WINTER WHEAT CROP CONDITION

1. SCATTERED RAINS AND WET CLOUDY WEATHER DURING LAST WEEK OF MARCH AND FIRST WEEK OF APRIL HAVE BEEN BENEFICIAL TO WINTER WHEAT CROP IN THE AREA OF PEKING.

2. ADDITIONAL DAMP DAYS SECOND WEEK OF APRIL ALSO BENEFICIAL.

3. AT MID-APRIL, WINTER WHEAT AROUND PEKING IS GREEN, VIGOROUS AND ABOUT THREE INCHES TALL. SPRING SOWN GRAINS ARE GROWING WELL.

4. TIMELY IRRIGATION SEEMS TO HAVE OVERCOME SOME OF EFFECTS OF EARLY DROUGHT.

5. MID-MARCH USLO TRAVELER TO SHANGHAI, CHANGSHA
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AND WUHAN REPORTED HEAVY RAINS BUT NO FLOODING.

WINTER WHEAT WAS ABOUT SIX INCHES TALL.

6. LATE MARCH USLO TRAVELER TO TAI YUAN AND SIAN
(SHANSI AND SHENSI PRIVINCES) REPORTED WINTER WHEAT
HAD RESPONDED WELL TO IRRIGATION AND WAS ONE AND
ONE-HALF TO TWO INCHES TALL. SOME RAIN AND SNOW HAD
FALLEN IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN SHANTU.

7. CANADIAN CONTACT REPORTED THREE INCHES OF SNOW
IN HARBIN IN LATE FEBRUARY.
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